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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
8th March 1867.

No. 139. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Military Department:—

Sanctioning the supply of skittle pins and cheeses required for the Convalescent Depôt at Wellington, Coimbatore District. } (Here enter 28th February 1867, No. 721.)

No. 140. ORDER THEREON, 8th March 1867, No. 693.

MILITARY WORKS, No. 9.

Communicated to the Superintending Engineer of the 7th Division, who will issue orders for the skittle pins and cheeses being provided from the District allotment for Minor New Works under "Military."

(True Extract.)

(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, 7th Division.
,, Accountant General.
,, Controller of Public Works Accounts.
,, Military Department.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following papers :—

Memo. from the Dy. Quarter Master General..... Here enter 12th Feb. 1867, No. 1144.
Report from the Controller of Mily. Accts. ..... „ 16th „ „ E.

Memorandum from the Deputy Quarter Master General, Fort Saint George, 12th February 1867, No. 1144; to the Secretary to Government, Military Department.

The Commander-in-Chief has the honor to recommend that the sanction of Government may be accorded to the estimate, as a special case.

From the Officer Commanding Southern Division, Head Quarters, Trichinopoly, 5th February 1867, No. 47; to the Quarter Master General, Fort Saint George.

I have the honor to submit for the orders of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, an estimate amounting to Rupees 139, for the supply of skittle pins and cheeses for the four skittle alleys at Wellington.

2. On the requisition being received from the Officer Commanding the Convalescent Depôt, he was referred to G. O. C. C., 17th August 1865, No. 100, and informed that the articles should be renewed from the Canteen Fund.

3. In reply he stated, however, that those in existence had been in use with various Corps since 1859, and were quite unserviceable, and that owing to Wellington having been but recently constituted as Convalescent Depôt, the Canteen Funds of the Depôt, would not admit of the provision of the new pins and cheeses required.

4. Under which circumstances, I would respectfully solicit that those now applied for may, in this instance, and as a special case, be renewed by the Public Works Department.

5. In an original memorandum, dated 22nd December last, No. 172, herewith forwarded, the Superintending Engineer, 7th Division, suggests that better wood at a less cost, and workmen accustomed to make up such articles being procurable at Vellore, he would suggest their being made up there rather than in the Coimbatore District.

No. 172.

MEMORANDUM.

Accompanying an estimate of Rupees 139, for four sets of skittle pins and balls prepared in conformity with requisition No. 1796 of 25th September—and explaining that good timber for the purpose not being procurable on the Neilgherries, application had to be made for preparation of the estimate to the Assistant Engineer in charge of Coimbatore Range, who has allowed for their construction of achcha wood (tamarind wood of sufficient size not being procurable) and for the cost of carriage.

2. It appears to the undersigned that it would be better to get these articles made up at places like Vellore, on the line of rail, where tamarind or other approved wood is plentiful and cheap, and Carpenters in the habit of making up such things are to be found.

SUPG. ENGR.'S OFFICE, 7TH DIVN., CAMP COONOOR, *22nd December* 1866. (Signed) G. W. WALKER, Lt.-Col, R. E., *Supg. Engr. 7th Divn.*

To the Dy. Asst. Qr. Mr. Genl., Southern Divn., Trichinopoly.

Estimate No. 48 of 1866-67, Neilgherry Range, Coimbatore District.
Work—making skittle pins and cheeses for the use of the Skittle Alley at Wellington.

Measurement. L.	B.	D.	Contents.	Particulars.	Rate. RS.	A.	P.	Amount. RS.	A.	P.	Amount of each part. RS.	A.	P.
			9	Skittle pins.....	3	2	0	28	2	0	...	...	...
			2	Cheeses.....	1	8	0	3	0	0	...	...	...
				For one set.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	31	2	0
				For three more sets.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	93	6	0
				Total.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	124	8	0
				Carriage from Coimbatore to Wellington...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	8	0
				Total of estimate...	...	...	...	...	...	...	139	0	0

EXECUTIVE ENGR.'S OFFICE, No. 1,
NEILGHERRY RANGE, OOTACAMUND,
11*th Dec.* 1866.

(Signed) W. FAREWELL, Major,
Executive Engineer.

(Signed) G. W. WALKER, Lieut.-Colonel,
Supg. Engineer.

(By Order,)
(Signed) J. H. HANDS, Captain,
Dy. Asst. Qr. Mr. Genl., Southern Divn.

With report from the Controller of Military Accounts, 16th February 1867, E.

ORDER, No. 721, 28th February 1867.

Under the circumstances reported in the foregoing papers, the Governor in Council specially sanctions the supply of skittle pins and cheeses required for the Convalescent Depôt at Wellington, renewals hereafter, however, being provided for under local arrangement.

(True Extract.)

Hamilton Colonel,
Deputy Secretary to Government.

To the Quarter Master General, with two enclosures.
" Controller of Military Accounts.
" Adjutant General.
" Public Works Department. with 20 spare Copies.

Exd. J. E. Cashart.

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